Summer 2000

This was a good season for the Junior boys despite all of their cancellations. The boys worked hard all season and did their best. It was frustrating with all of the setbacks, but they handled it quite well. Our season consisted of four wins and two losses. In the Mid Islands, we won one and lost one game. Over all it was an amazing team effort. We would like to commend Mr. Williams for his time and dedication to the team. And to Ms. Smith, thank you for pushing us to do our best and for being there to help us when we were down. The boys showed great spirit and are looking towards a promising season next year. Good luck.

-Brad Johnstone

Matt contemplates all the major angles before he putts.

Will chips the ball on the green with ease.













Junior Soccer Golf Junior Soccer Golf Junior Soccer Golf Junior Soccer





Ready, set, kick!! Junior prepares for a shot on goal.

Ms. Smith and Enrique race for the ball as Kerr lazily stays behind.

Tomoki concentrates on where he will shoot the ball next.

It was a great pleasure to be a part of such a great group of people this year. During the last four years that I've played golf at Shawnigan, I don't think we've ever had such a talented group. The competitive team of Sterling, Peter, Sean, and Jordan played exceptionally as Shawnigan qualified for the Island Championships for the first time. Unfortunately we missed qualifying for the Provincials by a few shots.

We had many highlights, espe-

cially our trip to Mount Washington and Campbell River. With such a young core of players I'm confident that with the aid of Gordy's instruction, Connolly's pep talks, and Mr. Fraser's ability to get us out of class, next years team can only improve. Although tournament and competition play are a large part of our program, there is also a component of recreational play and skill development. As mentioned, we have had a unique group and each person brought various attributes. I would be remiss if I didn't mention our, "mob squad," including our truly hardcore golfers Russell, Matt, Gair, Nathan and Alison, when she felt like coming. The number of girls increased with the addition of Christina and Julie. I'm sure this will only entice Mike Evans to stay with the program. I would like to thank Mr. Fraser, Mr. Connolly, and Mr. Noble for guiding the golf program at Shawnigan. Since my Grade 9 year it has nearly doubled in size and each year we are more skilled, competitive and successful. I'm confident that the program will continue to grow and succeed in the years ahead. I would also like to express my best wishes to Peter Kemp in regards to his LPGA career.





Back row: Mr. D. Williams, K. Storer, R. O'Leary, A. Ayotte, J. Camp, A. Chieh, E. Nieto Front row: J. Lee, P. O'Mahoney, D. Jackman, G. Cilliers, A. Kreidie, T. Kazama, L. Soddu, P. Marsden, D. Ram.





3 Soccer

Senior Tennis Senior Tennis

Although it is not the marquee sport in school, nor the most followed, competitive tennis at Shawnigan continues to surpass all expectations and succeed. Equipped with strong veterans of the tennis program and the aid of newly-arrived prospects, the team came together to seek a common goal, a provincial placement. This year's squad was one of the most able and talented teams in years. With the superb tactical coaching of Shawnigan tennis veteran, Mr. Candelaria, and the technical expertise of the newly acquired Mr. Morrow, the senior competitive group finished second on the Island and earned its place in the provincial championships. We went on and achieved second place, losing a tight final rounr to a very strong Brentwood team. Enormous gratitude is due to our fine coaches for all the time and energy they exerted for the team and the program. So, on behalf of the entire team, thank you. This season will be remembered for its ridiculous humour, courtesy of arrived Patrick newly Rhinehart and the awkwardness of Mr. Candelaria's extra comments. We would like to wish the remaining members of the team good luck in the future. The team promises to be very capable for years to come.

—Yuichi Levinson & Britt French





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Marcus and Eric team up for a match.

Sheridan concentrates, unaware of what might happen.





Mr. Robinson devotes all his attention to the game.

Mr. Candelaria and Tina chat between matches.

Spencer wishes Yuichi good luck before the next game.

Naheed, Elaine, Yuichi and Jesse take in the scene from the players' bench.





The Meaning of Tennis

Tennis may seem like a sport involving a ball and a racquet. The point? To get the ball clear across the net before it bounces on the court more than once. Anyone could play the game known as tennis. This is not the case with the Shawnigan Lake Senior Tennis Team. A ball and a racquet are merely "utensils" in this game. Power, strength, endurance, stability, teamwork and technique are just a few of the qualities you need. Over the term, Shawnigan Lake has done extremely well in all these elements, and the can expect to reach a more superior level next year.

—Sarah Peters



This has proved to be a most successful season for the Junior Tennis programme. The popularity of the sport was clearly evident at the beginning of the term when large numbers signed up to play. The competitive group comprised a good mix of experienced players and new players with excellent potenial. It was particularly encouraging to note the number of younger boys and girls who really improved their skills over a relative short period of time. Our major competition came at the Independent Schools' Tournament held in Vancover this year. We entered two boys' team and one girls' team. The boys' "A" team, consisting of Sheridan Candelaria, Matt Kunzweiler, Davin Garg, Sean Buchanan and Jae-Young Kwon proved to be too strong for the opposition and were successful in finishing as Tournament Champions after defeating St. George's in the final. In spite of their inexperience the girls' team of Holly Wong, Hannah Davies, Dawn Ngai, Fiona Dalrymple, Corrine Woo and Natalie Hill) acquitted themselves very well and narrowly lost the final in a tie-breaker to Crofton. This depth of talent augurs well for the future of Shawnigan tennis.

-Mrs. L. Grass





Davin leans into his second serve.





Jess waits for the ball to come to her.

It looks to me that Katie is saluting the game of tennis.

Junior Tennis Junior Tennis Junior Tennis Junior Tennis Junior Tennis Junior Tennis Junior

Graeme must not have made it to the shower this morning. Bad Hair day.





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Back row: Mr. D. Austin, D. Danychuk, P. Chiang, E. Cheng, J. Brown, M.Smith. S. Buchanan, E. Y-T. Cheng, Mrs. L. Grass Middle row: T. Wills, D. Caulder, D. Garg, D. Denk, F. Chong, F. Dalrymple, K. Rolston, G. Johnstone Front row: J-Y Kwon, H. Davies, D. Campbell, D. Ngai, H. Wong, J. Poupard, N. Hill.



Sean hits another serve while Jae-Young waits for his turn.

Eric is ready and waits to return a rocket serve.



Duncan Campbell gets ready for one winning serve.





Natalie streches for an awsome serve.

Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby

The Senior Girls' Rugby team had an amazingly successful season. We kicked it off with our United Kingdom tour to Wales, Scotland and England. While we enjoyed playing rugby against some challenging women's sides I think that the experience brought the team closer and that's the most important aspect of rugby. On our return we played a number of games against Island teams and we were undefeated until Carson Graham came over from the Mainland. Our rivals down the road (Cowichan High) were quite surprised when we overwhelmed them for the first time in two years and we continued to dominate them all season. The Island Championships were held at Shawnigan this year and needless to say we beat Cowichan in the Final making us Island Champions. The performance and dedication by the players were outstanding. Our season was quickly coming to a close as we prepared for our last efforts as a team at the B.C High School Championships, this year held at Semiahmoo High School in South Surrey. In our first game we played Abbotsford and we won, which led us to play Semiahmoo on the Thursday. After a gruelling and frustrating game we managed to come out on top and that meant we were to play Gleneagle High School, the defending champions. Gleneagle was clearly the better team but Shawnigan played with determination and courage. After their win Gleneagle later went on to win the tournament. We for 3rd and 4th place with none other than Cowichan. The girls played with their hearts and their pride and after the most intense game of the year for the players (probably the coaches as well) we came away with a well deserved win 17-10. We were very proud that Mikaela Reuban was selected to the President's XV.







Back: Mr. M. Felix, M. Phillips, D. Klaizner, A. Sutton, A. Beecroft, K. Heaton, Mr. J. Sarsfield, S. Brown, H. Campbell, A. Karmali, L. El-Guebaly, Mr. M. Wyatt Middle: M. Reuben, S. Davies, S. O'Mahoney, D. Thompson, I. Houston, J. Ulmer, S. Siu, J. Vane Front: M. Charleson, L. Tsai, J. Ellis, C. Brown, C. Harrison, E. Laudisio, A.Quock



Mr. Hyde-Lay makes a call giving possession to Shawnigan.

Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby Girls Rugby

A Shawnigan player runs with amazing speed while Kira stays behind ready to help.

Dezirae tries to manoeuvre around the opposing team.





The season was wonderful, but short and I know that the Grade 12's are leaving the team in good hands. Finally to the veterans of the squad: Thank you to Shannon who put in 110% and was one of the driving forces of the forwards pack. To Sylvia, you proved that you don't have to be big to play the game. To Sarah, thank you for keeping the backs together and for playing with such heart. Thank you to Jasmin for having that incredible speed and for her dedication to the team. The Juniors this year have shown great promise as they moved up the ranks towards the Senior team. Although they didn't have many games this season they were always willing to sub into some of the Senior games. A huge thank you to our coaches, Mr. Felix and Mr. Wyatt, you did an excellent job.

—Devon Thompson
Captain

Shawnigan runs through the opposition as they score another try.

Jasmin has a hard time passing the ball due to obstacles.





Rugby is the best sport in the world - or so Mr. Samuel will tell you, along with a huge smile! The season proved to be a brilliant one, full of many memorable moments that can be fondly looked back upon. The U.K./Ireland Tour granted the team countless good times and shared laughs. Of course, the exceptionally successful year came full of remarkable victories, namely Brentwood! The First XV showed courage and pride and represented the Black and Gold to their greatest potential. Special thanks to the inspiring Mr. Samuel and the very talented Mr. Patel for pouring their hearts and souls into the rugby program and players. On behalf of the team I would like to sincerely thank the entire school for their enthusiastic support. Best of luck to the boys next year and may Shawnigan reign supreme for years to come!

> —Matt McLure Captain 1st XV Rugby







Earl has a good view of the game from up high.

Shawnigan grabs for the ball.

Kurtis and the team demonstrate the concentration needed for winning rugby.





James and the guys wait anxiously to get into the game.

Practice makes perfect. The 1st XV polish their skills.

Shawnigan's scrum.





Back row: Mr. B. Patel, P. Rokeby-Thomas, N. Mills, G. Laudisio, D. Poling, E. Pheasey, G. Housser, J. Pocock, S. Joslyn, Mr. R. Samuel Middle row: J. Duthie, K. Bell, R.Sutcliffe, M. McClure(Captain), C. Finucane, P. Houghton, A. Russell Front row: R. Burson, M. Allard, J. Carson, J. Chang.





Back row: T. Aylwin, H. Leighton, M. Newton, A. Martinez, H. Wallace, J. Scott, E. Lecky, M. Kim, J. Meldrum, P. Saroka, J-P. Duplessis, Mr. M. Hall Middle row: B. Tweedie, R. Davis, B. Wills, J. So, J. Excell (captain), E. Murdoch, S. Dembiske, J. Castro, R.Seok Front row: J. Lopez-Baird, E. De la Mare, D. Evans, S. McCrady, T. Cape, S. Decorby.

The year couldn't have started off better with our tour over to the UK. There, we played five really tough games against teams that have played all their lives. We came away with one win but the other games were narrow losses. We came back to Shawnigan with a greatlooking team. We had some excellent games against SMU and Salt Spring but unfortunately, due to some injuries early in the season, we had some tough losses to good teams. The boys stepped up to the challenges before them and we performed quite well under the circumstances. Though there weren't many Grade 12's on the team this year, the Grade 11's showed strong leadership. The Grade 10's played extremely well and will be a good addition to the team next year. And where would we be without Jeremy's explosions in the scrums and the rucks and our dynamic wingers Spence and Nightmare? Despite the ups and downs of our season the Shawnigan 2nds had a great time playing whenever they stepped onto the field. We would also like to thank our coaches Mr. Hall, Mr. Samuel and Mr. Patel for all their time and effort. Oh yeah, whatever happened to our other coach, Mr. Burley? Good luck to the boys and I hope you have a really successful season next year.

–James Excell2nd IX Rugby

The outdoors term has been exceptional! With a large variety of personalities and talents we have become a cohesive group capable of living in the B.C. rain for days on end. We have taken a variety of different courses throughout the last two and a half months. We are now certified in CPR, boat driving and we can communicate with radios legally. Mr. Yates and Ms. Woollven have taken us on two interesting trips where we saw spectacular views and encountered wildlife such as baby seals and whales. Thank you to them for making everything from challenge runs to kayak/canoe frisbee an integral and enjoyable part of the last term of this year! And to Charlie, thanks for all of those great stories

—Bethany Jones



Lindsey Munday turns around for her picture.

Lindsey McDonell advertises the Shawnigan kayaks.



Ben and Stewart look dissatisfied with their meal.



Ms. Woollven takes a rest after setting up camp.





Laura Macdonald smiles as she enjoys the beach.

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Who Would Have Thought

How did I get into rowing? Well its kind of a funny story. I started my summer sport in rec-tennis then I got put on the Wilberforce. After finishing my punishment on Wilber 9 was told I was not allowed to go into rec-tennis because I need a "structured" sport. So, 9 had to choose between Rowing and Rugby. 9 chose Rugby. There I went to two practices and decided it wasn't for me.I had no other choice than to go into Rowing. It's actually quite ironic though, 'cuz I was dreading going into it, but now I realize it's a lot of fun. All the people work together as a team. The regattas and even the dedication all make it a great sport. Rowing offers great opportunities; for example it can lead to College scholarships.9 think that rowing will be my sport for years to come

—Kajsa Gustavson



Jeremy and Arjun get the boat ready for their next race.

Mr. Loiselle looks for the oncoming boats.





Up go the tents at the Shawnigan Regatta.

Rowing Rowing Rowing Rowing Rowing Rowing Rowing Rowing



Group Picture.

Liz, Christine and Jenna cuddle up at Saint Kit's.

Sam, Peter, Tristin and Kippy smile for the camera.

Mrs. Stapff is proud of her senior boys.

Meredith, Anna, Liz and Christy are ready for a night on the town.









Outdoor Classroom









Scot and Josh wake up to a rocky morning.

A lovely view from the class-room window.

Ken and Mia entertain Lani, Jenny and Heather with their guitars. What did you do to your knee, Heather? The group gets ready to speak French for two days after getting off the ferry at Thetis Island.

Mia, Graeme and Alana have enjoyed a great French meal.

Graeme, you're supposed to be washing dishes not Zac.









Vive le français

Du 16 au 18 avril 2000, 27 élèves et 4 professeurs de français sont partis à l'Île de Thetis pour le voyage d'immersion français. Nous sommes restés à un beau camp qui s'appelle Camp Columbia. Le but du voyage était de parler français autant que possible. Pendant 48 heures, on ne parlait que français. Il était difficile, mais tout le monde faisait un bon effort pour s'exprimer en français. Le premier soir, nous avons décoré en rouge, bleu et blanc la salle à manger où nous avons eu un grand repas français. De l'entrée au dessert, nous avons tout préparé nous-même, et il était très délicieux. Nous nous sommes amusés beaucoup dans les activités comme pictionnaire, chasse au trésor, Capturer le Drapeau, le volley, le baseball, le spectacle de marionnettes, etc. Grâce à Mme Leary, Mme Boulais, M. Detchon et M. Hyde-Lay, le voyage était un succès. Merci!













COMING TO A CLOSE

Kurtis and Sam get ready to head up the procession into chapel

The staff look very erudite in their robes







It was pretty hot in the main gardens for the graduating class but it was probably all worth it.



Mr. Hyde-Lay is determined to keep his cool today.

Mr. Candelaria presents Megan with her prize for top academic student in Grade 12.

Some of the lucky book-prize winners.

Eric looks pleased with his prize for the Yearbook activity.







Academic and Fine Art Awards ~ June 2000

FINE ARTS ACADEMICS

2D ART	
Art, Junior	A. Chieh
Art, Senior	M.N. Finlayson
Computer Graphics, Jr.	M.A. Raven
Computer Graphics, Sr.	R.R.A. Holman
Photography, Jr.	A.J. Ayotte
Photography, Sr (Irene Lane Prize)	M.J. Hamilton
Yearbook, Jr.	E. Cheng
Ycarbook, Sr.	B.J. Jones

3D ART Fashion Des

C. Goupil Fashion Design Pottery, Jr. M.G.Evans Pottery, Sr K. L. McCourt J. K. Brown Sculpture, Jr. J. J. A. Ulmer Sculpture, Sr. E. Chang Stained Glass, Jr. Stained Glass, Sr. N.J.A. Amies Textile Arts, Jr. S. A. Laudisio J. Chu Textile Arts, Sr. Woodwork, Jr. D.W. Evans Woodwork, Sr. I. Macdonald

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE

J.A. Dickens Heather and Gordon Payne Prize Choir, Jr. K.M. Baskin Choir, Sr. I.J. Cooper Musical Drama, Jr. J. Luckhurst Musical Drama, Sr. M.H. Phillips Thomas Award for Excellence in Theatrical Performance R. J. Aune J.A. Dickens Oxley Drama Prize Davies/Grey Award for A. D. de Leon Dramatic Arts D.J.B. Connolly Instrumental, Jr. Instrumental, Sr. M.S. Bhatti Ward Music Trophy T. Tsai

NON-MUSICAL PERFORMANCE

Dance, Jr. C.L. Yole Dance, Sr. J.M.O.Kaweminski Debate, Jr. J.M. Neat Debate, Sr. D. Dakin Hector MacIntosh Citations M.Keen, O. Mawjee C.A. Vopel Syzmanis Cup Drama, Jr. K. Duhhamel N.A. Bledsoe Drama, Sr. Reach for the Top, Jr. D.L.D. Cape Reach for the Top, Sr. A.D.D. Cape

SERVICE

Environment Club S.M.J. Davies
Library J. Byun
Outreach ,Jr. M.C. Beatty
Outreach, Sr. E. Williams
Search & Rescue P.M.S. Houghton

ART	
Junior (Grades 8, 9 and 10)	K. Heaton
Senior (Grades I 1 and 12)	P.N.I. Legun

ENGLISH

English 8 "Savage Prize" K.D.C. Lafferty English 9 "Savage Prize" J.K. Brown English 10 "Savage Prize" E.P.F. Bouev English 11 "Savage Prize" J. McGavin Writing for Performance M.N. Phillips Writing 12 D.R.D. Parsons English 12 "Savage Prize" P.N.1. Legun W. O. Mitchell Prize E. d'A Murdoch English Literature 12 M.C. Carter

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Information Technology 11 J.L. Rolston
Computer Science 12 P. Rokeby-Thomas

MATHEMATICS

Mathematics 8J.M. LeeMathematics 9D.L.D. CapeMathematics 10S. LiuMathematics 11H. WongMathematics 12P.N.I. LegunCalculus 12M.A. Richie

MODERN LANGUAGES

French 8 P.W. Marsden French 9 J.K. Brown French 10 P.P. Wurr French 11 H. Wong French Immersion, Sr. D.M.K. Garg Français Langue 12 E.P.F. Bouey French 12 M.E. Keen Beginners Spanish 10 R. Seok Spanish 11 A.M. Palubiski Spanish 12 M.E. Keen

MUSIC

Music 9 C. Woo
Concert Band Senior A. Chang
Senior Jazz Band J.J.A. Ulmar

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

P.E. 8 H.L.Davies Human Performance 12 D.B. Thompson

SCIENCE

Science 8

Science 9 J.K. Brown Science 10 (Pletcher Prize) J.A. Scheske Biology 11 (Binkley Prize) J.L. Rolston Physical Sciences 11 A. Chang G. Housser Biology 12 W. G. Warnock Chemistry 12 S.E. O'Mahoney Physics 12 D.R.D. Parsons Todd Ellner Natural Sciences Prize G. C. Birkbeck Bausch And Lomb Award A. Chang Science Council of B.C. Award M. A. Ritchie

J.M. Lee

SOCIAL STUDIES

Social Studies 8 D. A. Danychuk Social Studies 9 D.L.D. Cape Essential Literacy 9 P.R. Hunter Social Studies 10 R.D. O'Leary Capp10 M. G. Kunzweiler Social Studies 11 G. Housser Pre-AP European History N.J.J. Sihota Earth Science 11 N. M. Kenyon Todd Ellner Social Sciences Prize M.G. Kunzweiler Geography 12 D.M.K. Garg Comparative Civilization 12 Y. E. Levinson History 12 N.A Bledsoe AP European History M.C. Carter Economics 12 M.E. Wilson Governor General's Canadian History Medal for the Millennium S. Chang

STAGECRAFT

Stagecraft 11 C.G. Ramsay
Stagecraft 12 J. Melo-Mathiesen

WOODWORK

Woodwork 10 D.P.E. Erickson

GENERAL PROGRESS

Peter Piddington Memorial Prizes
Grade 8 J.P. O'Mahoney

Grade 9 J.C.W. Martindale Grade 10 B.W. Bowell

Jamie Piddington Memorial Prizes

Grade 11 E.N. de la Mare Grade 12 T.A. Douglas

The Lonsdale Trophy
The Hyde-Lay Trophy

Lake's School / Renfrew

Closing Day Awards

CITIZENSHIP

Junior The Geoffrey Fylton Mackie Memorial Prize

Fall Term J.R. de Montmorency Winter Term D.J.B. Connolly Spring Term J.A. Scheske

Senior The John Fylton Mackie Memorial Prize

Fall Term G. A. Martinez
Winter Term N.C. Allison
Spring Term J.J.A. Ulmer

ACADEMIC FORM PRIZES

Grade 8 D. S. Danychuk
Grade 9 J.K. Brown
Grade 10 H.Wong
Grade 11 G. Housser
Grade 12 M.A. Ritchie

Head Student M.A. Ritchie

OVERALL ACADEMIC PRIZES

Junior H. Wong
Senior P.N.I. Legun
M.A. Ritchie
Overall Winners H. Wong
P.N.I. Legun
M.A. Ritchie

ACADEMIC SHIELD

Fall Term Kaye's
Winter Term School / Renfrew
Spring Term Kaye's

HOUSE AWARDS

The Spirit of Copeman's Trophy M.T. McClure The Duxbury Crystal J.D. Howson The John Fletcher LakePrize P.N.I. Legun The C. W. Lonsdale Prize J.A. Copeland M.R. Allard The Alexander Baillie Ripley Prize L.J. Munday Groves House Trophy S.M.J. Davies Kaye's House Award Renfrew House Award D. C. Neumann School House Award J.J.A. Ulmar

The Seanna and Nicole Strongman

Memorial Scholarships J.D. Tinker

E.C. Springgay

The Hyde-Lay Scholarship E.W. Pheasey

The Mary Hyde-Lay Scholarship L.N. MacLean

The Chaplain's Award O. Mawjee

Donald Mcleod Anderson Award N.C. Allison

Spirit of 1969 Award G.A. Martinez

Sportsmanship Cup M.T. McClure

Pooley Cup J.J.A. Ulmer

Groves' All Rounder P.N.I. Legun

Shawnigan Awards M.L. Griggs

M.J. Hamilton

M.E. Kean

J.J.A. Ulmer

Stag Awards S.K. Joslyn

S.M. Maitland

K.P. McDaniel

D.R.D. Parsons

Mr. S.E. Cox

Mr. S.A.S. Lanc

Mr. B. N. McGavin

Graham L. Anderson Trophy J.D. Howson



Outgoing headmaster, Mr. Simon Bruce-Lockhart and his wife, Joanne, with new headmaster, Mr. D. Robertson and his wife, Lynne, join the wife of Chairman of the Board, Mr. R. W. Murdoch, in applauding his speech.

A Night Full of Wonders...

Ten Lessons for the Preservation of Wonder

- 1. Cherish innocence. Consider a child a four-year-old, say wandering in the woods behind his home when he happens across and infant animal a bear cub, say, or a wolf pup. Separated from the constraints of their parents, both creatures may entertain the possibility of friendship. Watch the faces of children, then, for in their wonder you will observe your own fundamental innocence.
- 2. The real battles in life take place on the plains of your own heart. Many times, when you think you've found an enemy, you've simply found a metaphor a face and a name in the physical world to represent issues of your own private world. If you work to find the wonder in your enemies, you may come to know yourself.
- 3. There is wonder in family in their acceptance of our weaknesses and their belief and pride in our successes. Think, for example, of the family of the man who invented the bagpipes. He came back from his workshop and played them for his mom and dad and brothers and sisters, and they said, unbelievably, "It's perfect, Angus. Dunnae change a thing."
- 4. Pursue at least one harmless grail a round of golf at par, say, or a flawlessly played song; twenty-five consecutive free throws, or a perfectly danced waltz, for even achievable grails remind us that beauty resides in the pursuit, and in the moments when you think, "Yes, this could be the day when you're even par after 11 holes, or eight bars from heaven, you will exist, if only fleetingly, in a state of grace.
- 5. Know the irony of wonder as this: no amount of fame or wealth can purchase it, though fame and wealth may make you an object of wonder of others. Wonder is purchased with the trust of an open heart and an innocent eye.
- 6. If ever you take a long bus trip, you may have the choice between watching a movie and looking out the window. Look out the window. You can always rent the video later. But that particular canvas of light and landscape will never again fall beneath the brush of you and your journey at that particular moment. Sometimes, in your car, you will have a choice between music and silence. Now and again, choose silence, for silence makes room for your music, and you never know what songs the contemplative mind might sing. Nature hates a vacuum, and adolescence hates silence, but it is often in the stillness that the heart collides with revelation and the self emerges.
- 7. Be a sports pan, not a scores pan. It you are a scores pan, you may encourage in yourselp the beliep that it is acceptable to avoid all but the highlights or lipe, and wonder presents itselp in the turn of the blade in the ice, the joy on the face of an athlete when he discovers that the will of his body has anticipated the command of his mind, and in the moment just prior to the highlight tape, when the athlete glimpses his opportunity to direct, for a single moment, the universe of the play.
- 8. If you have the opportunity, sooner or later, travel, for not only will you have cause to wonder at the rituals and traditions of other peoples and cultures, but you discover a new appreciation for this continent, where we still encourage the young to etch dreams upon their hearts and trace a life on top of them. The wonder is not that all dreams come true; the wonder exists in the freedom of the dream, for there are still places in this world where history and circumstance have conspired to constrain even the imagination.
- 9. Be part of an unselfish community that you believe in, can commit to, and will work to advance a family, a institution, a cause, for there is wonder wherever people subordinate themselves to one of the eternal truths beauty or love or justice or compassion or the preservation of the dignity of others.
- 10. One of the beauties of humanity is this: when we look up into the sky at night, we can see the stars as burning balls of gas millions of miles and millions of years away, and we can astonish ourselves with the loneliness of that. Or, as I told my lit class recently and promised I would say tonight, we can see the stars as holes torn in the darkness at the outskirts of the universe through which the brilliant eyes of the angels watch in wonder as we make our way . . . in wonder.

- J.R. Connolly





Carly Overton and Tony Cape

Sarah O'Mahoney and Devon Thompson

Britt French, Bethany Jones, Lindsey McDonell and Meredith Hamilton

Arturo Martinez and Molly Kean





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... And A Lot More



Lindsey and Many are snapped duning an interlude in the evening proceedings.

Alison and Marty pose seductively for the camera.

Taylor and his date enjoy their dinner.

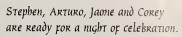
Jesse and Lindsey dance the night away.





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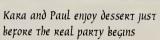


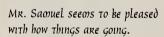
A beautiful soule from Jen lights up the evening.











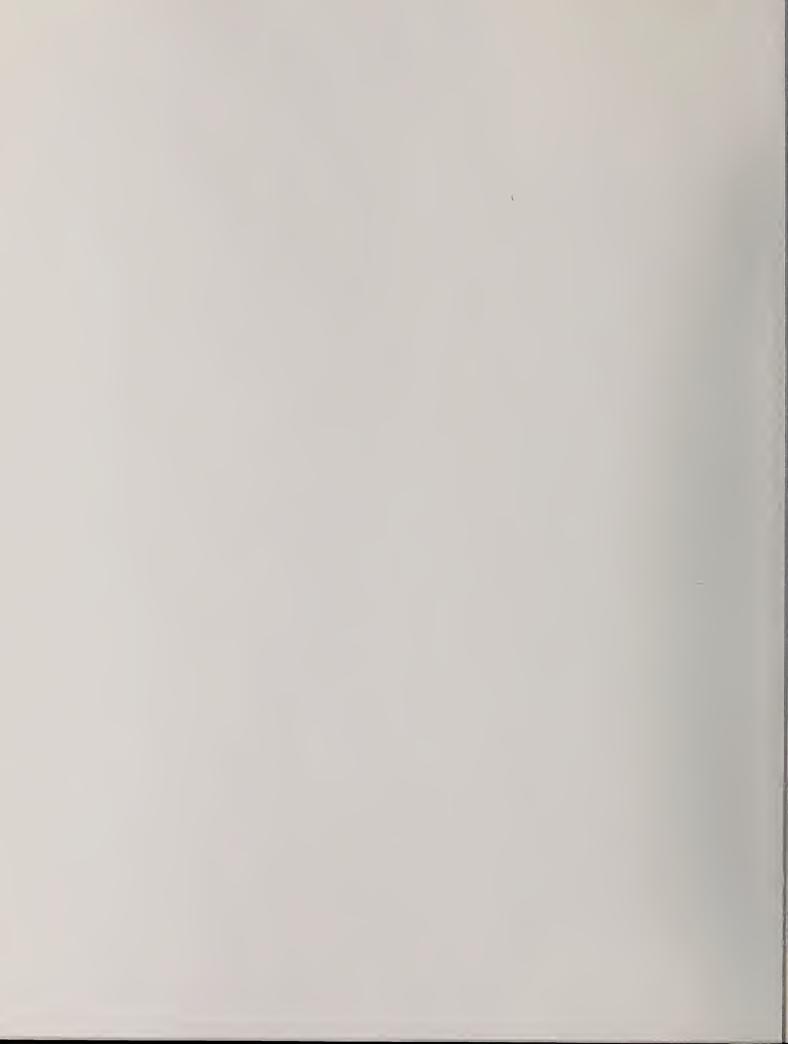
Justin, Chaplin and Miguel shake the company of a beautiful lady at Grad.

Jon looks elegant in his evening attire.





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More Teams ...



Mr. J. Dorland, D. Schellenberg, L. Nielsen, C. Yole, K. Gustavson, S. Peters, J. Sparks, J. Stewart, J. Pennington (cox).



G. Birkbeck, I. Cooper, P. Schwarz, D. Dakin, M. Bhatti, Mr. G. Loiselle, B. Walker.



Back row: Mr. D. Austin, D. Danychuk, P. Chiang, E. Cheng, J. Brown, M.Smith, S. Buchanan, E. Y-T. Cheng, Mrs. L. Grass Middle row: T. Wills, D. Caulder, D. Garg, D. Denk, F. Chong, F. Dalrymple, K. Rolston, G. Johnstone Front row: J-Y Kwon, H. Davies, D. Campbell, D. Ngai, H. Wong, J. Poupard, N. Hill.



Back: Mr.J.Sarsfield, J.Connelly, T.Thompson, D.Daigle, H.Richer, A.Pocock, M. VanLeeuwen, E.Bouey, D.Macpherson, S.Zwickle, R.Cheek, Mr.R.Grass Middle: C.Renner, J.Copeland, K.Duhamel, L.Lugo, N.Kenyon, R.Brade, K.Brewer, M.Beatty, C.Cheek, V. Champ Front: D.Wilson, C.Link, C.Seddon, M.Rutter, J.Neat, J.Lee, Z.Keshwani, W. Main.



Mr. J. Dorland, D. Schellenberg, C. Yole, S. Niemi, M. Phillips, J. Pennington (cox).



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